

# ENGINEERS TO LOCATE AT NORTH CHARLEROI

Government Men Preparing for Preliminary Work at the Lock

## J. H. MYERS IN CHARGE

Chief Who Has Been Remarkably Successful at Lock No. 1 Expected Soon

As soon as the work of building the dam at Lock No. 1 is completed engineers will engage in making the preliminary surveys at Lock No. 1, where it is stated lock building will start within the next few months. Government officials will be on the job shortly it is understood with J. H. Myers, first assistant to Col. T. P. Roberts of the United States Engineering department at Pittsburg in charge. J. Kenyon, the chief book-keeper of the Pittsburg department will be situated at Lock No. 4.

Arrangements are being made for housing the government men, and some of the houses now vacant at Lock No. 4 will be occupied by them. It will not be long until Lock No. 1 is completed. At that point the work now being done consists of building a concrete pier over the dam a distance of about 50 feet. The Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad is assisting the government in this, and will likely use the pier thus formed for additional tracks.

Engineer Myers who is to have charge of the work at North Charleroi has been very successful during the last two years at Lock No. 1, where he has had part supervision of the work of building.

From this time on there will be few repairs made on Lock No. 4. This fact alone indicates that there is to be a new lock built before long. An appropriation has been made for the preliminary survey. The work on Lock No. 4 will in an industrial way be beneficial both to North Charleroi and Charleroi.

Lock No. 6 at Rices Landing will be surveyed it is understood either coincidentally with Lock No. 4 or soon after the surveys here are started. The Crucible Coal company is understood to be using its influence to have it reconstructed previous to the local lock.

Everybody's doing it. Doing what? Buying Jewelry from H. Porter, 534 Fallowfield avenue. 322-11

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## Repairing No. 3 Dam

Crew of Slackwater Engaged in Difficult Work at Down River Lock

The crew of the "Steamer Slackwater of the United States engineering corps, is engaged at Lock No. 3 on the work of replacing the apron crib on the lower side of the dam. Previous to the flood some days ago, the Slackwater was engaged on the work. Interferred with for a time being they have just resumed their work.

Rather than draw off the water from the different pools and hindering navigation, the Slackwater crew is doing the work largely through submarine diving. Capt. James T. Nutt is in charge. George W. Kline, of North Charleroi is the submarine diver. The work is of a different nature. Stone and timber have to be removed and new work placed.

## RIVER WAS IMPORTANT

Old Directory Relates Interesting Data of Trade in 1859

## MINES NOT NUMEROUS

A directory containing some interesting information of the Monongahela and Youghiogheny valleys, is in the hands of Morton B. Collins, of Monongahela. The book was printed in 1859 and was in the possession of Mr. Collins' mother. At the time it was issued Monongahela had a population of 1,700. Paper mills and a planing mill were the chief industries of Monongahela at the time.

One of the things mentioned in the book a remembrance of the days long past was the existence of a ship yard at Monongahela. At the time the book was being prepared the yards were at work on the fifth hull put on the ways since June, the book being printed in October. Grist mills were much in evidence.

Of the citizens mentioned in the directory but few are alive today. Only four could be noted, B. F. Bentley, gentleman; John Tettets, carpenter; S. C. Wilson, salesman, and W. H. Wilson clerk.

A number of coal works were in operation in the vicinity at the time, among them being Baker and Dravo below Webster; Baker and Keller, at Coal Bluff; John Bissell on the present site of Donora; George Canfield at Coal Bluff; Herron, Peterson and company, near Coal Bluff; Hazle's

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To Keep Milk From Souring. Be sure and keep it on ice and then buy your new tablet and envelopes at Micht's Book Store. 322-11

## MINERS' OUTING TO BE IMPORTANT EVENT

Between 2,000 and 3,000 Miners With Families

Expected to Attend Affair at Eldora Park Saturday

Eldora Park will be the scene of sports will be held. Speaking will be the feature: history of the miners organization in the Pittsburg district tomorrow, man. Well known speakers will make addresses. Among them will be William Green, ex-president of the Ohio Mine workers, President Van Bittner of the Pittsburg district, ex-president Francis Fehan, Assemblyman William Feneley, Louis Gonazie, Ben Bendetti and Frank Choura.

The Eldora Park management is making preparations for entertaining one of the biggest crowds that has been at the park this season. The first outing was held in July of last year and proved a big feature among the miners.

## ELKS PICNIC DRAWS BIG CROWD TO PARK

Charleroi Lodge No. 494 Entertains at Eldora. Ox Roast Proves Big Feature-Amusements Made Free

Everything was free once one got in the park at Eldora Thursday when the annual picnic and outing was held by Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks. The result was that the six hundred and some persons who attended the affair had the time of their lives. When the picnic at Eldora was mentioned first and the committee appointed to look after preparations, the idea was to make the ground and the bamboo slide and at affair one mostly for the women and all times were these amusements children. They were the ones who attended mostly. The way the park about the roller coaster, the merry- amusement proved that they were well entertained. D. R. Hormell was chairman of the committee.

The park was rented for the day, and the committee of Elks looked after the affair entirely. There were many features, but chief among them was the ox roast. Free sandwiches were distributed.

## WARM STRUGGLE IS EXPECTED ON SATURDAY

A good ball game is expected Saturday afternoon when the Coal CValley club will be held to play the Charleroi Independents. Both teams will be in good shape for the game. Charleroi won from the Liggetts at Monongahela last Saturday. Their record included a big list of victories. Coal Valley has been winning regularly.

## FAST RACES LISTED AT BELLE VERNON

Running, trotting and pacing races will be on the card of the Belle Vernon Driving Park Association's meet which will be held at Belle Vernon August 21, 22 and 23. More than \$4,000 will be distributed among the winners of the various events and the meet promises to be most successful. Many entries have been received, and the very best horses in the section will compete for the rich cash prizes.

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## WORKING FOR THROUGH CAR SERVICE TO DONORA

## Want Pardon For Shields

Direct Line Project Meets With Much Local Approval

Friends of Westmoreland Commissioner Working in His Behalf

Two Towns Would Profit-Railways Company Said to be Favorable

Business men and citizens generally are interested in a suggestion that through car service be instituted between Donora and Charleroi and it is not improbable that petitions will be circulated to that end. It is understood that the Pittsburg Railways company which operated the Pittsburg-Charleroi line will install a direct service between the two towns, if sufficient traffic is assured.

At the present time to get from Charleroi to Donora requires transfers at Black Diamond. These transfers are troublesome and necessitate a waste of time. That a direct line is possible was proven Thursday when a car was run from here to Donora carrying the band engaged for the Elks picnic.

Plans for the direct line have not been mapped out. For the present service would be effected over the Donora line to Black Diamond and thence to Charleroi, without change of car and return by the same route. Eventually if the service demanded it is probable the long delayed project of building a line over the hill at Eldora would be put into effect, connecting up Donora by a short route.

As it is a large number of Donora people come to Charleroi to do their shopping. Donora is one of the most progressive, populous and prosperous boroughs in the entire Monongahela Valley and it is believed that if it is linked up closer with Charleroi it will be to the mutual advantage of the two big industrial centers of the valley.

Charleroi is the live wire business community in the Monongahela Valley, and the leading business men believe that if a direct trolley service is given with Donora the business of Charleroi will largely increase as a result of the buying of the thousands of workingmen employed in and about Donora. Charleroi believes that with every improvement in trolley service there is a corresponding improvement in business in the communities affected. In trolley service as well as in numerous other affairs, Charleroi is the center of the Monongahela valley. The line to be built by the Westside Street Railways company to Bentleyville would form an important connection.

Market. Home made cakes, pies and bread in Dawson's Millinery Window Saturday afternoon. Washington Avenue Presbyterian church. 322-11

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## TELEPHONES

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tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-  
sertion.

## LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi  
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.....Lock No. 4  
J. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon

Aug. 13, 1912

1777—British invaders from Canada re-  
gressed in a day, started at Bennington, Vt., by New England colonists. General Nicholas Herkimer hero of the battle of Oriskany died; born about 1715.

1812—Surrender of the United States forces at Detroit, Mich., to the British by General William Hull.

1825—Charles Cotesworth Pinckney, American soldier and statesman, author of the immortal phrase, "Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute," died in Charleston; born 1746.

1898—J. W. A. MacDonald, known as  
American's oldest sculptor, died at  
Yonkers, N. Y.; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow)  
Sun sets 6:56, rises 5:12. Evening  
stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter.

Morning star: Saturn.

## RURAL CO-OPERATIVE BANKS.

In these days of financial chaos,  
when an effort is being made to de-  
vise some system of banking where-  
by the various interests will support  
one another in times of stress the  
Department of State at Wash-  
ington, D. C. has been investigating the  
rural co-operative banking

system instituted by the German  
peasant farmers many years ago. It

is generally acknowledged that the

banking system in this country  
exceedingly faulty or not meeting de-  
mands of all classes and officials of the

State Department are now sending  
out circulars commanding the system  
devised and carried out by the  
German farmers a number of years

ago.

The system is exceedingly simple.  
The German peasant didn't know any-  
thing about high finance. When he did

know was that two and two made  
four; that every little bit added to

what you've got makes just a little  
bit more and that when neighbors

banded together to help each other,  
and stuck to the compact, infinitely  
more could be accomplished for all

than when each individual was  
alone. That was the basis on which

they formed their banking system.

All the farmers of a community,  
each of whom was too insignificant to

get a loan of his own account, pooled  
their assets and got a large loan.

Then they met in one's home, formed

a committee, loaned out this money

in small parcels—\$25 to one, \$50 to

another, \$100 or more to others, a

the case might be at the legal rate  
of interest, or with perhaps a slight  
premium to cover necessary expen-

—and the system was complete.

This worked so well in the com-

munities that the little organizations  
finally organized central banks in the  
various districts. These were not estab-  
lished until now the combined central  
banks did a business of \$1,557,293,

580 in the German Empire in 1902.

The central banks act as distributors  
and equalizers of funds and the German  
farmer, no matter how humble,

can get all the financial accommoda-  
tion his condition warrants, in small  
amounts, at any time of the year. It

is the most successful instance of co-  
operative rural banking ever known,  
and it is carried out by the common

people in little groups of usually less  
than one hundred members. These

farmers have learned that

banking is not a matter of high finance  
but can be carried out by ordinary in-  
dividuals the same as anything else

that concerns the welfare of the public

and the author's signature.

GOOD ROADS, BETTER MARKETS

With the institution of the Charleroi  
curb market, comes the realization  
that good roads are essential in the  
reduction of the high cost of

living. For some years Charleroi  
was at certain seasons of the year  
marooned from the farming districts  
because of inaccessible roads. This

had the effect of gradually eliminat-  
ing personal trade between the farm-  
ers and the townspeople until the  
volume of produce was not nearly  
enough to supply the demand. Then

came the trade with the commission  
houses, and the cost of living steadily  
mounted.

Progress in road improvement in  
the environments of Charleroi has  
made the town more accessible to  
the farming districts, while the curb  
market idea has opened up the possi-  
bilities of the benefits of trade di-  
rect from the producer to the con-  
sumer. The wagon freight on food  
commodities is a big factor in the  
cost and if this can be reduced by  
road improvements, it will readily be

seen that it is an economic problem  
that should command the attention  
and support of all. Other road im-  
provements for this section are in  
prospect, and now that it has a di-  
rect bearing in reducing the cost of

living the matter should be more  
closely looked after by our people  
than ever. Improved roads will en-  
courage the farmers to raise more

produce and bring it to the Charleroi  
market.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

The Monessen Independent is au-  
thority for the information that  
Belle Vernon has a mayor. And yet  
Monongahela lays claim to being the  
only city in this vicinity.

Some men are so interested in so  
many enterprises that when they say  
"us" you never know whether they  
are referring to a store, a factory, a  
trolley line, a newspaper, or just a  
family at home.

Frack is getting the hang of those  
numerous conference entertainments  
made famous by Judge Gary.

Hotel lobbies aren't the only place  
where dictators and their people  
congregate. The post houses and in-  
sane asylums are full of them.

W. H. Berry has told Gov. Wilson  
that he is going to pull the biggest  
Republican plum in the union. Berry  
always was easily convinced of

some things.

The fellow who is always boasting  
about the many soft jobs being offered  
him usually has a hard time finding  
something to get paid for.

Ty Cobb is nearly as popular and  
is more talked about than Detective  
Barnes. As evidence of the fact he  
was attacked in Syracuse, N. Y.

Mexican rebels wrecked a train and  
killed 56 aboard. Pretty soon real  
force will have to be used on those

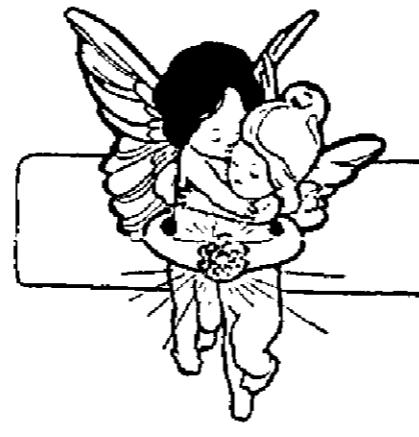
fellow.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Picking up a text book on United  
States History the other day that  
my son had been using at school I  
discovered that this country at one  
time actually had free coinage of sil-  
ver and the astounding fact is that  
the sky didn't fall either, as our Wall  
street friends solemnly asserted it  
would, in the stormy days when W.

## Everybody's Doing It! WHAT?

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By virtue of a writ of Levavi  
Facias, issued out of the Court of  
Common Pleas of Washington County  
and to me directed, there will be ex-  
posed at public sale at the Sheriff's  
Sales Room in the Court House in the  
Borough of Washington, Washington  
County, Pa., Saturday, the 21st day of  
August, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.,  
of said day the following described  
real estate, viz:

All that certain lot of ground situ-  
ate in the Borough of Charleroi,  
Washington County, Penna., located  
on the West side of Washington avenue;  
being bounded on the North by

Lot No. 892, on the West by Wash-  
ington avenue; on the South by Lot No.  
888; and on the West by Lincoln avenue.

Being lot No. 890, as per plan  
of the Charleroi Land Company.

Taken in execution as the property  
of Lulu Kirsher, Peter Kirisher, alias  
Christian Kirisher and Fidelity Title  
and Trust Co., of Pittsburgh, Pa., at  
the suit of Borough of Charleroi.

ROBERT G. LUTTON,

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.,

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All those certain lots of ground situ-  
ate on McKean avenue in the Bor-  
ough of Charleroi, Washington County,  
Penna., being lots 108 and 110 of  
the plan and map of said Borough,  
fronting 22 feet on the West side of  
McKean avenue, between Third and  
Fourth streets and extending back  
of uniform width a distance of 110 feet  
to an alley.

Taken in execution as the property  
of M. J. Tylavsky, at the suit of  
R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Robert G. Latton,

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.,

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## RIVER WAS IMPORTANT

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coal works, at Donora; John Jenkins, at Coal Bluff; Logan and Dohram, near Coal Bluff and Miller and Williams, who operated a mine above Webster. At that time there were not so many mines south of Monongahela. McCloskey, Cosgrave and company operated a mine near Port Perry. The experiment of towing

the coal from Pittsburg to New Orleans was tested by this firm in 1858 with success, and in the year 1859 they built the steamer "Bellwood" of 400 tons to operate in this trade.

Among the interesting things contained in the directory were the names of steamboat landings on the Monongahela river between Pittsburg and Monongahela. Dagg's Ferry is one of the prominent river crossings noted.

### Making It Plain.

Sapleigh—*I*, I say, Miss Hammerton, why is it that you are always out when I call? Miss Hammerton—Because I'm foolish, I suppose. Sapleigh—I'm ever so sorry! Miss Hammerton—Well, you know the old saying, "A fool for luck."

### The Family Skeleton.

Hatcher—Isn't Jones' wife thin and skinly? Scratches—Yes; she's the one family skeleton he can't keep in the closet.—National Monthly.

### A Human Sieve.

Binks—Why do you call him the human sieve? Jinks—Because every thing he takes up falls through.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Best granulated sugar, full 25-lb. sack.....\$1.35

Matchless flour will please you. Your money back unless it makes better and more bread than any flour at the same price.

### Finest Elgin Creamery Butter.

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2-lb fancy Japan rice.....15c  
1 qt. jar full of Wilbur Cocoa.....25c  
5 lb yellow peas.....25c  
4 1/2 lb red kidney beans.....25c

Royal peanut butter, lb.....15c

Qt. jar queen olives.....25c

3 cans best molasses.....25c

2 bottles elegant catsup.....25c

1 1/2 lb best cocoanut.....10c

Qt. jar Lutz & Schramm prepared mustard.....15c

Magic yeast, pkg.....1c

10c pkg. noodles, 2 for.....15c

10c pkg. macaroni, 2 for.....15c

10c pkg. vermicelli, 2 for.....15c

10 lb pail fresh mackerel.....\$1.25

5 lb. sack granulated sugar.....30c

California prunes, 4 lbs.....25c

Evaporated peaches, 3 lbs.....25c

Extra large raisins, 3 lbs.....25c

Fancy apricots, 2 lbs.....25c

Pickling spices, 1-2 lb. pkg.....10c

### Ground Spices

White pepper

Black pepper

Allspice

Ginger

Cloves

Cinnamon

Mustard

Whole large nutmegs, 1-2 lb. pkg. 12c

Tobaccos

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Cutty Pipe.....7 1/2c

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Fifth and McKean Avenue, CHARLEROI, PA.

## FAYETTE COUNTY SEAT ARRANGING OLD HOME WEEK

Elaborate preparations are being made for the Old Home Week celebration in Uniontown August 26-31, which will be one long week of pleasure to all who will be so fortunate as to be among those present. About \$15,000 has been expended alone for the amusements for that week. No expense has been spared and the week will doubtless stand out prominent forever in the history of Uniontown. Arrangements have been made to accommodate the many thousands of persons who will attend.

From Monday morning until Friday night there will be something doing every minute. One of the principal features will be the aeroplane flights on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Charles F. Walsh, one of the most daring birdmen in the world, will positively fly on those days. Then there will be high wire walking from the top of the Skyscraper, high dive from a 100 foot ladder into a tank of water three feet deep. Punch and Judy shows, concerts of the six celebrated bands, special firemen events, big auto and industrial parades in which there will be at least 11,000 members of fraternal organizations.

The Moss Amusement company, with 14 distinct and complete shows, including two foreign attractions, have been engaged to amuse the visitors. There will be one grand display of fireworks Thursday night, which never has nor never will be equaled in Fayette county. There will be a fine auto parade in which there will be at least 300 beautifully decorated automobiles.

Baseball comes in for its share of the popularity as contest for each day have been arranged with the best teams in Western Pennsylvania. Fantastic and grotesque costumes will feature the big jubilee parade, scheduled for Friday night. From all indication that will be one of the greatest masquerades ever seen in Pennsylvania. A special firemen's day and parade with many visiting firemen in line of parade and athletic events have been arranged.

Cash prizes will be offered for each event of interest during the week. Speeches will be made each day by the most prominent men in Pennsylvania. In all probability Gov. John K. Tener will be one of the many visitors.

An army of decorators are busily engaged giving Uniontown its Old Home Week grab which will be extremely beautiful. Large arches will be erected and everything possible will be done to make the week of August 26-31 memorable in Uniontown.

Men! Men!! Men!!!

Did you ever stop to think how you can save money by buying here on credit? We are the largest credit 1:18 1-4.

Free for all pace—Purse \$400.

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ONE CENT

## ENGINEERS TO LOCATE AT NORTH CHARLEROI

Government Men Pre-  
paring for Preliminary  
Work at the Lock

### J. H. MYERS IN CHARGE

Chief Who Has Been Re-  
markably Successful at  
Lock No. 1 Expected Soon

As soon as the work of building the dam at Lock No. 1 is completed engineers will engage in making the preliminary surveys at Lock No. 4, where it is stated lock building will start within the next few months. Government officials will be on the job shortly it is understood with J. H. Myers, first assistant to Col. T. P. Roberts of the United States Engineering department at Pittsburgh in charge. J. Kenyon, the chief book-keeper of the Pittsburgh department will be situated at Lock No. 4.

Arrangements are being made for housing the government men, and some of the houses now vacant at Lock No. 4 will be occupied by them. It will not be long until Lock No. 1 is completed. At that point the work now being done consists of building a concrete pier over the dam a distance of about 50 feet. The Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad is assisting the government in this, and will likely use the pier thus formed for additional tracks.

Engineer Myers who is to have charge of the work at North Charleroi has been very successful during the last two years at Lock No. 1, where he has had part supervision of the work of building.

From this time on there will be few repairs made on Lock No. 4. This fact alone indicates that there is to be a new lock built before long. An appropriation has been made for the preliminary survey. The work on Lock No. 4 will in an industrial way be beneficial both to North Charleroi and Charleroi.

Lock No. 6 at Rices Landing will be surveyed it is understood either coincidentally with Lock No. 4 or soon after the surveys here are started. The Crucible Coal company is understood to be using its influence to have it reconstructed previous to the local lock.

Everybody's doing it. Doing what? Buying Jewelry from H. Porter, 534 Fallowfield avenue. 322-11

Just received a shipment of fall clothing, newest and daintiest patterns. Colors are blue, black and fancy grays, as well as stripes. Strictly tailor made. Come gentlemen have one charged at \$15.00. Credit here? Why certainly. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 320-12

Would you not jump on a train and ride if you could make from \$5 to \$7.50 by doing so? Then come to this store and have a beautiful \$20.00 suit charged for \$15.00. \$1.00 will be allowed for your train fare. Isn't this a snap? Our credit to the public is liberal. All we ask is for you to come and get the merchandise and pay later. No red tape connected whatever. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 320-12

### Repairing No. 3 Dam

Crew of Slackwater Engaged  
in Difficult Work at Down

#### River Lock

The crew of the "Steamer Slackwater of the United States engineering corps, is engaged at Lock No.

8 on the work of replacing the apron crib on the lower side of the dam. Previous to the flood some days ago, the Slackwater was engaged on the work. Interferred with for a time being they have just resumed their work.

Rather than draw off the water from the different pools and hindering navigation, the Slackwater crew is doing the work largely through submarine diving. Capt. James T. Nutt is in charge. George W. Kline, of North Charleroi is the submarine diver. The work is of a different nature. Stone and timber have to be removed and new work placed.

## RIVER WAS IMPORTANT

Old Directory Relates  
Interesting Data of  
Trade in 1859

### MINES NOT NUMEROUS

A directory containing some interesting information of the Monongahela and Youghiogheny valleys, is in the hands of Morton B. Collins, of Monongahela. The book was printed in 1859 and was in the possession of Mr. Collins' mother. At the time it was issued Monongahela had a population of 1,700. Paper mills and a planing mill were the chief industries of Monongahela at the time.

One of the things mentioned in the book a remembrance of the days long past was the existence of a ship yard at Monongahela. At the time the book was being prepared the yards were at work on the fifth hull put on the ways since June, the book being printed in October. Grist mills were much in evidence.

Of the citizens mentioned in the directory but few are alive today. Only four could be noted, B. F. Bentley, gentleman; John Tettets, carpenter; S. C. Wilson, salesman, and W. H. Wilson, clerk.

A number of coal works were in operation in the vicinity at the time, among them being Baker and Dravo below Webster; Baker and Keller, at Coal Bluff; John Bissell on the present site of Donora; George Canfield at Coal Bluff; Herron, Peterson and company, near Coal Bluff; Hazle's.

(Continued on Third Page.)

To Keep Milk From Souring.  
Be sure and keep it on ice and then buy your new tablet and envelopes at Micht's Book Store. 322-11

## CREDIT

is established much more rapidly by saving -- through the medium of a bank account. Besides -- it gives you prestige and standing to be a depositor in the First National Bank of Charleroi.



Open Saturday Evenings from 6:00 to 9:00 o'clock

4 per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts

Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

## MINERS' OUTING TO BE IMPORTANT EVENT

Between 2,000 and 3,000 Miners With Families

### Expected to Attend Affair at Eldora Park Saturday

Eldora Park will be the scene of one of the greatest gatherings in the history of the miners organization in the Pittsburgh district tomorrow, when the second annual picnic and outing of sub-district No. 3, of District No. 9 will be held. Between 2,000 and 3,000 miners and their families will be present from all along the Monongahela valley, and from back in the interior part of the country.

There will be a program of amusements, in addition to those provided by the park. A parade will be held in Monongahela in the morning, starting at 2 o'clock. Charles Burns will be the chief marshal. A program

of sports will be held. Speaking will be the feature: Charles Pritchard will act as chairman. Well known speakers will make addresses. Among them will be William Green, ex-president of the United Mine Workers, President Van Bittner of the Pittsburgh district, ex-president Francis Feehan, Assemblyman William Feney, Louis Gozzi, Ben Bendetti and Frank Choura.

The Eldora Park management is making preparations for entertaining one of the biggest crowds that has been at the park this season. The Penitentiary where he has been imprisoned since May, serving a term for embezzlement. Shields is now a county commissioner of Westmoreland county, which fact puts affairs in a peculiar shape. Frequently important county business comes up that requires his concurrence. In such cases it is necessary for the other two commissioners, W. D. Reamer and George Brechbill to go to the penitentiary to confer with Shields. Most active in the movement to have the prisoner released is Shields' wife. His friends feel confident they can present matters to the Board of Pardons in such a light that he will be released.

## ELKS PICNIC DRAWS BIG CROWD TO PARK

Charleroi Lodge No. 494 Entertains at Eldora--  
Ox Roast Proves Big Feature--Amuse-  
ments Made Free

Everything was free once one got in the park at Eldora Thursday when the annual picnic and outing was held by Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks. The result was that the six hundred and some persons who attended the affair had the time of their lives. When the picnic at Eldora was mentioned first and the committee appointed to look after preparations, the idea was to make the affair one mostly for the women and children. They were the ones who attended mostly. The way the park amusements were called into requisition proved that they were well entertained.

The park was rented for the day, and the committee of Elks looked after the affair entirely. There were many features, but chief among them was the ox roast. Free sandwiches were distributed.

### WARM STRUGGLE IS EXPECTED ON SATURDAY

A good ball game is expected Saturday afternoon when the Coal City club will be held to play the Charleroi Independents. Both teams will be in good shape for the game. Charleroi won from the Liggetts at Monongahela last Saturday. Their record included a big list of victories. Coal Valley has been winning regularly.

### FAST RACES LISTED AT BELLE VERNON

Running, trotting and pacing races will be on the card of the Belle Vernon Driving Park Association's meet which will be held at Belle Vernon August 21, 22 and 23. More than \$4,000 will be distributed among the winners of the various events and the meet promises to be most successful. Many entries have been received, and the very best horses in the section will compete for the rich cash prizes.

Cut your butter bill. Ohio Tub Butterine 25c a pound. A most delicious spread for bread. McDermott's Butter Store, Fifth street, Charleroi. We give stamps. 322-11

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We can sell butterine for less than any store in the country for cash. Is owing to the large volume of business we do in our 64 stores which are all over the United States, enables us to have our own factories. You save all middle-men's profits. So why not come open a charge account. Your credit is good; that's understood. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 320-12

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## WORKING FOR THROUGH CAR SERVICE TO DONORA

### Want Pardon For Shields

Direct Line Project Meets  
With Much Local  
Approval

Friends of Westmoreland  
Commissioner Working  
in His Behalf

Two Towns Would Profit-  
Railways Company Said  
to be Favorable

Friends of former sheriff John E.

Shields of Westmoreland county will

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Pardons at Harrisburg in September

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At the present time to get from Charleroi to Donora requires transfers at Black Diamond. These transfers are troublesome and necessitate a waste of time. That a direct line is possible was proven Thursday when a car was run from here to Donora carrying the band engaged for the Elks picnic.

Plans for the direct line have not been mapped out. For the present service would be effected over the Donora line to Black Diamond and thence to Charleroi, without change of car and return by the same route.

Eventually if the service demanded

it is probable the long delayed pro-

ject of building a line over the hill at

Eldora would be put into effect, con-

necting up Donora by a short route.

As it is a large number of Donora

people come to Charleroi to do their

shopping. Donora is one of the most

progressive, populous and prosperous

boroughs in the entire Monongahela

Valley and it is believed that if it is

linked up closer with Charleroi it

will be to the mutual advantage of

the two big industrial centers of the

valley.

Charleroi is the live wire business

community in the Monongahela Val-

ley, and the leading business men be-

lieve that if a direct trolley service

is given with Donora the business of

Charleroi will largely increase as a

result of the buying of the thousands

of workingmen employed in and about

Donora. Charleroi believes that

with every improvement in trolley

service there is a corresponding im-

provement in business in the com-

munities affected. In trolley service

as well as in numerous other affairs

Charleroi is the center of the Mon-

ongahela valley. The line to be built

by the Westside Street Railways

company to Bentleyville would form

an important connection.

Market.  
Home made cakes, pies and bread  
in Dawson's Millinery Window  
Saturday afternoon. Washington Avenue  
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cash to buy yourself a suit, on ac-  
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Come, we will charge it for you. Pay  
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of Western Pennsylvania uses Good  
Luck Butterine. McDermott's But-  
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John B. Schaefer

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live stock stray notices, notices to  
teachers, 10 cents per line, first inser-  
tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-  
sertion.

## LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi  
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack....Lock No. 4  
J. T. Mixenbaugh....Belle Vernon

Aug. 13  
1777 British invasion from Canada to  
passed to a second battle of Ben-  
nington, Vt., by New England colon-  
ists. General Nathanael Herkimer,  
hero of the battle of Oriskany  
died; born about 1715.

1812—Surrender of the United States  
forces at Detroit, Mich., to the Brit-  
ish by General William Hull.

1828—Charles Cowesworth Finney,  
American soldier and statesman,  
author of the immortal phrase,  
"Millions for defense, but not one  
cent for tribute," died in Charle-  
ton; born 1740.

1908—J. W. A. McDonald, known as  
America's oldest sculptor, died at  
Jenkintown, N. J.; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 8:34; rises 5:12. Evening  
stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter  
Morning star: Saturn.

## RURAL CO-OPERATIVE BANKS.

In these days of financial chaos,  
when an effort is being made to  
devise some system of banking where-  
by the various interests will support  
one another in times of stress the  
Department of State at Wash-  
ington, D. C. has been investigating the  
rural co-operative banking  
system instituted by the German  
peasant farmers many years ago. It

is generally acknowledged that the  
banking system in this country is  
exceedingly faulty in not meeting de-  
mands of all classes and officials of the  
State Department are now sending  
out circulars commanding the system  
devised and carried out by these

German farmers a number of years  
ago.

The system is exceedingly simple.

The German peasant didn't know any-  
thing about high finance. When he did  
know was that two and two made  
four; that every little bit added to  
what you've got makes just a little  
bit more and that when neighbors  
banded together to help each other,  
and stuck to the compact, infinitely  
more could be accomplished for all;

then when each individual went  
alone. That was the basis on which

they formed their banking system.

All the farmers of a community,  
each of whom was too insignificant to

get a loan of his own account, pooled

their assets and got a large loan.

Then they met in one's home, formed

a committee, loaned out this money

in small parcels—\$25 to one, \$50 to

another, \$100 or more to others, as

the case might be at the legal rate

of interest, or with perhaps a slight

premium to cover necessary expen-

ses and the system was complete.

This worked so well in the com-

munities that the little organizations  
finally organized central banks in the  
various districts. These were extend-  
ed until now the combined central  
banks did a business of \$1,557,293,  
you in the German empire in 1900.  
The central banks act as distributors  
and equalizers of funds and the Ger-  
man farmer, no matter how humble,  
can get all the financial accommoda-  
tion his condition warrants, in small  
amounts, at any time of the year. It  
is the most successful instance of co-  
operative rural banking ever known,  
and it is carried out by the common  
people in little groups of usually less  
than one hundred members. These  
farmers have demonstrated that real  
banking is not a matter of high finance  
but can be carried out by ordinary in-  
dividuals the same as anything else  
that concerns the welfare of the public.

## GOOD ROADS, BETTER MARKETS

With the institution of the Char-  
leroi road system the realization  
that good roads are essential in  
the reduction of the high cost of  
living. For some years Charleroi  
was at certain seasons of the year  
marooned from the farming districts  
because of inaccessible roads. This  
had the effect of gradually eliminat-  
ing personal trade between the farm-  
ers and the townspeople, until the  
volume of produce was not nearly  
enough to supply the demand. Then  
came the trade with the commission  
houses, and the cost of living steadily  
mounted.

Progress in road improvement in  
the environments of Charleroi has  
made the town more accessible to  
the farming districts, while the curb  
market idea has opened up the possi-  
bilities of the benefits of trade di-  
rect from the producer to the con-  
sumer. The wagon freight on food  
commodities is a big factor in the  
cost and if this can be reduced by  
road improvements, it will readily be  
seen that it is an economic problem  
that should command the attention  
and support of all. Other road im-  
provements for this section are in  
prospect, and now that it has a di-  
rect bearing in reducing the cost of  
living the matter should be more  
closely looked after by our people  
than ever. Improved roads will en-  
courage the farmers to raise more  
produce and bring it to the Charleroi  
market.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Some men are so interested in so  
many enterprises that when they say  
"us" you never know whether they  
are referring to a store, a factory, a  
trolley line, a newspaper, or just a  
family at home.

Frick is getting the hand of those  
millionaire conference entertainments  
made famous by Judge Gary.

Hotel lobbies aren't the only places  
where distinguished looking people  
congregate. The poor houses and in-  
sane asylums are full of them.

W. H. Berry has told Gov. Wilson  
that he is going to pull the biggest  
Republican plum in the union. Berry  
always was easily convinced of  
some things.

The fellow who is always boasting  
about the many soft jobs being offered  
him usually has a hard time finding  
something to get paid for.

Ty Cobb is nearly as popular and  
is more talked about than Detective  
Burns. As evidence of the fact he  
was attacked in Syracuse, N. Y.

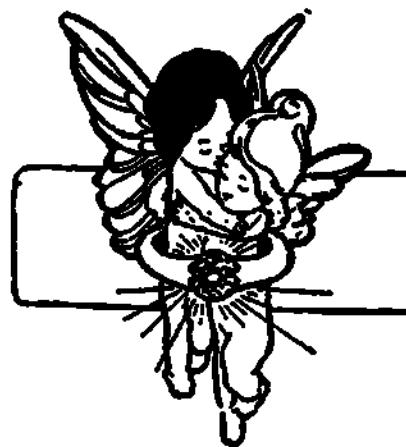
Mexican rebels wrecked a train and  
killed 56 aboard. Pretty soon real  
force will have to be used on those  
fellow.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

"Picking up a text book on United  
States History the other day that  
my son had been using at school I  
discovered that this country at one  
time actually had free coinage of sil-  
ver and the astounding fact is that  
the sky didn't fall either, as our Wall  
street friends solemnly asserted  
it would. In the stormy days when W.

## Everybody's Doing It! WHAT?

Buying Jewelry at H. Porter's, as we are  
reducing stock now to make room for Christ-  
mas jewelry. Beautifully designed, best  
quality.



Gold filled Coat Chains, 2.00 chains for 1.00  
Gold filled Tie Clasps, from 25c up.

Elgin Watches, 16-size, new model, 5.50.  
Stick Pin and Cuff Link Sets, 1.00 value for 50c  
and many more attractive specials.

Eye Glasses fitted from 25c up.

For the Ladies—Bracelets, the newest of the  
season; beautiful Pendants, advance Christmas  
designs; Locket and Chains.

Birthstone Rings—Get a solid gold ring with  
your birthstone, 2.00. We have a large assortment  
of them, also beautiful hand engraved, solid gold  
top Bar Pins.

Our specials in Combs, 1.00 and 1.50, for 50c  
Umbrellas recovered while you wait, we have  
large assortment of covers, the price is right.

Don't miss the place next door to Woodworth's 5c and 10c store

**H. PORTER, Jeweler & Optician**  
534 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.  
Bell Phone 67-R

## MUSKINGUM COLLEGE

NEW CONCORD, OHIO

### THE INSTITUTION FOR YOU

First class Academy, College, Conservatory, School of Expression and  
School of Art. Work fully accredited at leading universities.

Faculty of thirty, University trained, Harvard, Columbia, Michigan,  
Chicago, etc.

Student body of 500, representing eighteen states and three foreign countries.

Second building of the new group of eight now under construction.

Elegant location, best environment, reasonable expenses.

**J. Knox Montgomery, President**

J. Bryan promulgated his famous would work an economic evil."

"16 to 1 theory," said an old timer in  
a political discussion a day or two  
ago.

"Any Bull Moose party men in your  
district?" was the question asked  
of C. K. Chalfant of Spears, the other  
evening.

"Well, not many that I know of,"  
was the reply. "There's one of my  
neighbors that I think is a Ronse-  
velt man, but our vote up there will  
be pretty much divided the way it  
looks at the present time."

"How many votes do you have in  
your precinct now?" Mr. Chalfant  
was asked, "is it nine or twelve?"

"Don't you try to belittle our po-  
litical importance," was the reply.  
"Over at Washington they think we  
are very essential. Why I've heard  
it stated on good authority that as  
much as \$200 has been put in our  
precinct in a single campaign, and at  
a primary we actually poll at times  
as many as fifteen votes."

"Then there's no Roosevelt follow-  
ing of any consequence in your pre-  
cinct?"

"Well, I can't tell, exactly. There's  
"Jimmy" Heffan, I suspect, is for  
Taft; "Jimmy" Collins I reckon is  
for Debs; there's one, as I said, I  
believe is for Roosevelt; I don't  
know where I am myself yet, and I  
haven't sounded the rest of the  
bunch."

SHERIFF'S SALE  
By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias,  
issued out of the court of Common  
Pleas of Washington County, and to  
me directed, on which inquisition and  
exemption are waived, there will be  
exposed at public sale at the Sheriff's  
Sales Room in the Court House in the  
Borough of Washington, Washington  
County, Pa., Saturday, the 24th day  
of August, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.,  
of said day the following described  
real estate, viz:

All that certain lot of ground situate  
in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington  
County, Penna., located on the West side of Washington  
avenue; being bounded on the North by  
Lot No. 892, on the West by Wash-  
ington avenue; on the South by Lot No.  
898; and on the West by Lincoln ave-  
nue. Being lot No. 890, as per plan  
of the Charleroi Land Company.

Taken in execution as the property  
of Lulu Kirsher, Peter Kirisher, alias  
Christian Kirisher and Fidelity Title  
and Trust Co. of Pittsburg, Pa., at  
the suit of Borough of Charleroi.

## WANTED!

### A LIVE DEALER

To handle our line of pleasure cars and trucks.  
We have the most complete line in Western  
Pennsylvania for a dealer. Good territory and  
liberal discount. Lexington Cars have Rutten-  
bur Motors and Timken Axles; built in fours  
and sixes.

One, two and four ton trucks of the best  
construction. Telegraph or write.

**UNION MOTORCAR CO.**  
5940 BAUM ST., PITTSBURG, PA.

## Our Clearance Sale is now On

All our odds and ends  
and everything of spring  
and summer as long as they  
last will be sold at the  
Clearing Prices.

### EUGENE FAU

514-516 FALLOWFIELD AVE.,  
CHARLEROI, PA.

### Gentle and Sure

You, also, should give ap-  
proval to this efficient family  
remedy—your bowels will be  
regulated so surely and safely;  
your liver stimulated; your  
digestion so improved by

### BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere in boxes 10c, 25c.

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**ROBERT G. LUTTON,**  
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.

July 31, 1912. A2-9-16

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All those certain lots of ground situate  
on McKean avenue in the Bor-  
ough of Charleroi, Washington County,  
Penna., being lots 108 and 110 of  
the plan and map of said Borough,  
fronning 22 feet

## COLORED GIRL IS SUPPOSED TRAMP

A 16-year-old colored girl, of no one knows where, landed in Washington Wednesday evening and when first noticed was sitting on the veranda of a fashionable residence out East Maiden street. She was questioned as to her identity, and as she appeared to be lost, she was taken to the police station as a suspicious character and kept over night.

Before Burgess Hoyt next morning she said that she had come from California and landed in Wheeling the day before; that she was given a small sum of money in the "Nail" city, and reached Washington in the evening. The girl stated she desired work, and was sent to the detention room of the Juvenile court, where it was thought assistance in securing work might be furnished. She stated that her name was Irongo Woom-pursee.

Fortunately for the peace of mind generally people are not usually so cuttingly brilliant or so brilliantly cutting as the novel writers would have them.

Jack Johnson protests that he doesn't care about doing any more fighting. Yet he isn't seen refusing any of those cheap \$25,000 offers.



"Some classy suit Dick, where'd you buy it?"

"You don't buy suits like this, Harry—stores don't have them. I had it made to order by

**Albert J. Hanus**

If you want real style and fit see him. He has the best selection in town"

**PRICES \$20 to \$40**

605 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

## Advantages of Co-Operation

A municipal market, run by the city at cost for the people, if it saved but a dollar a week to each family in Charleroi, would save our people \$100,000 in a single year.

We respectfully submit the following prices:

Matchless flour, full 49-lb. sack.....\$1.58

Matchless flour will please you. Your money back unless it makes better and more bread than any flour at the same price.

**Fine Elgin Creamery Butter.**

We are told it is the best in the City, lb.....32c

We save you 25 per cent.

2-lb fancy Japan rice.....15c

1 qt. jar full of Wilbur Cocoa.....25c

5 lb yellow beans.....25c

4 1-2 lb red kidney beans.....25c

Royal peanut butter, lb.....15c

Qt. jar queen olives.....25c

3 cans best molasses.....25c

3 bottles elegant catsup.....25c

1-2 lb best cocoanut.....10c

Qt. jar Latz & Schramm prepared mustard.....15c

Magic yeast, pkg.....4c

10c pkg. noodles, 2 for.....15c

10c pkg. macaroni, 2 for.....15c

10c pkg. vermicelli, 2 for.....15c

10 lb pail fresh makerels.....\$1.25

5 lb sack granulated sugar.....30c

California prunes, 4 lbs.....25c

Evaporated peaches, 3 lbs.....25c

Extra large raisins, 3 lbs.....25c

Fancy apricots, 2 lbs.....25c

Crab apples, peck.....30c

1-2 watermelons.....10c and 15c

10c jar gums, 2 doz.....15c

5c cake sealing wax, 3 for.....10c

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# Men's Clothing Boys' Clothing

## One More Week of Reduced Prices

There will be only one more week of Reduced Prices on Clothing for men and boys. Your last chance. Will you make these big savings? It is surely an opportunity for you when we make these decided cuts on our very best suits. School time will soon be here and the boys will need school clothes. Buy this week and save money.

**Clearance Prices Rule the Entire Month of August All Through This Big Store**

### Made-to-Measure Clothes for Men

We are now showing a big line of swatches in all the newest weaves of Worsted and Woolens—the new fall styles—and we guarantee an absolute fit. Every customer is a pleased customer. Try us on your next suit to order.

**EARLY SELECTIONS ARE ALWAYS BEST**

### J.W. BERRYMAN & SON

Fifth and McKean Avenue, CHARLEROI, PA.

are attending the Sandy Plains fair today.

Miss Marie Moffitt has returned from a visit with friends at Uniontown and other nearby points.

### THREE FAMILIES

#### REUNE AT ELDORA

The Wickerham, Grant and Sampson families held their annual reunion at Eldora Park on Wednesday.

There were many members of the families present. The day was spent quietly. Minutes were read of the previous meeting by Dr. Lida Grant, of Monongahela. Five deaths took place during the last year, removing

Mrs. Adeline Wickerham, Mrs. Maria Wickerham, Mrs. Carl Hoffman and Ed. and George Bausman.

Men's fancy serge suits. Suits that are made by the most skilled tailors that money can produce. Some stores would consider it a great value at \$20.00. You can have one charged here at \$15.00. Your credit is good with us. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Char-

leroi, Pa.

### FAYETTE COUNTY SEAT ARRANGING OLD HOME WEEK

Elaborate preparations are being made for the Old Home Week celebration in Uniontown August 26-31, which will be one long week of pleasure to all who will be so fortunate as to be among those present. About \$15,000 has been expended alone for the amusements for that week. No expense has been spared and the week will doubtless stand out prominent forever in the history of Uniontown. Arrangements have been made to accommodate the many thousands of persons who will attend.

From Monday morning until Friday night there will be something doing every minute. One of the principal features will be the aeroplane flights on Wednesday, Thursday and

the most daring birdmen in the world, will positively fly on those days. Then there will be high wire walking from the top of the Skyscraper, high dive from a 100 foot ladder into a tank of water three feet deep, Punch and Judy shows, concerts of the six celebrated bands, special firemen events, big auto and industrial parade in which there will be at least 11,000 members of fraternal organizations.

The Moss Amusement company, with 14 distinct and complete shows, including two foreign attractions, have been engaged to amuse the visitors. There will be one grand display of fireworks Thursday night, which never has nor never will be equaled in Fayette county. There will be a fine auto parade in which there will be at least 300 beautifully decorated automobiles.

Baseball comes in for its share of the popularity as contest for each day have been arranged with the best teams in Western Pennsylvania. Fantastic and grotesque costumes will feature the big Jubilee parade, scheduled for Friday night. From all indication that will be one of the greatest masquerades ever seen in Pennsylvania. A special firemen's day and parade with many visiting firemen in line of parade and athletic events have been arranged.

Cash prizes will be offered for each event of interest during the week. Speeches will be made each day by the most prominent men in Pennsylvania. In all probability Gov. John K. Tener will be one of the many visitors.

An army of decorators are busily engaged giving Uniontown its Old Home Week grab which will be extremely beautiful. Large arches will be erected and everything possible will be done to make the week of August 26-31 memorable in Uniontown.

Men! Men!! Men!!!

Did you ever stop to think how you can save money by buying here on fourth credit? We are the largest credit

1:18 1-4.

Free for all pace—Purse \$400.

Painter Boy, b.g. (Reynolds). 2 1 2 1

Hal At-Law, b.k. h. (McGraw). 1 4 1 4

Zack Chisler, br.g. (Rinehart). 8 2 3 3

Hydrick, b. g. (Garlow). 4 3 4 2

Time—2:21 1-2, 2:22, 2:20 1-4, 2:26

Three-fourth-mile run—Purse \$25.

Hal Madison won; Tender Heart, sec-

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